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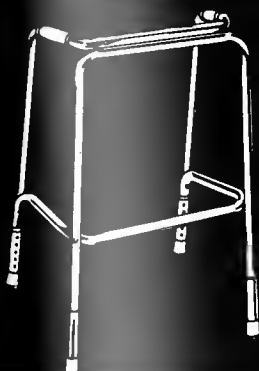
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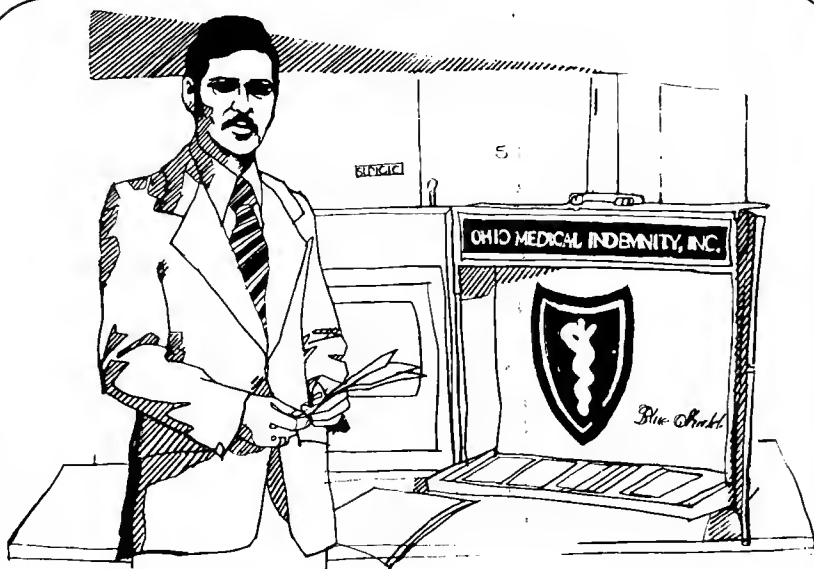
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From the Desk of the President



Several weeks ago each member and associate member received a letter and questionnaire which was honestly and sincerely conceived in the hope that we would bring about a majority of the membership to decide the course and fate of the society. To date only about 1/3 have responded. About 1/3 of those who responded offered criticism, observation or suggestions. Their responses were genuine and well thought of. They all share the same concern for the future of the society and the private practice of medicine. I shall honestly try to personally contact those colleagues and seek their advice and further help.

Except for three, all those who responded felt that we do need a Mahoning County Medical Society. Views varied on how it should be run and what it should do. The implementation of these suggestions will be left to the democratic process of majority rule.

With respect to committees, a list was sent to the membership which included 48 committees. To date 42 members have responded for 32 committees. Of the 42 only 3 active members requested that they be considered for an office in the society next year.

The over 100 members who attended the Dec. 17 meeting got a sample of what the medical community is faced with. The government and its bureaucrats have the manpower and facilities, at the taxpayers' expense, to expound their schemes and to plan for us and our patients. But our resources and time are very limited and become more so with less participation of our membership. The unity and strength of our society becomes so important when the state and national organizations seem ready to compromise or even surrender!

Some of those who responded to the questionnaire felt that the society is being run by a small minority. This happened BECAUSE THE MAJORITY WAS ABSENT!

However, this minority, who so far have carried the ball, is made of dedicated men who have given freely of their time, energy and resources for the rest. They so vary in ages, background, specialty and views, that the only "clickish" aspect of their being is that they are dedicated to what they strongly believe in: the preservation of the private practice of medicine and the integrity of the physician.

Some said that the society has been negative and reactionary. This perhaps has been due to the overwhelming assault on medicine in recent years. It leaves the busy practitioner with little time other than to be on

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Editorial

GREETINGS

Thoughtful people today are asking, "Can America survive its crises?" Critics everywhere are blaming America for the ills of the world.

It's healthy to criticize if one does it with the purpose to make things better. There is plenty of criticism. There is the criticism of those who condemn everything and anything. There are those who criticize because they have guilt consciences. There are those who jump on the fashionable bandwagon of criticism. There is danger in this game because criticism destroys confidence.

On the other side of the coin is cause for great confidence — "YOU". You can be the catalyst to make things happen by "Getting Involved." Your society provides several challenges for you:

- To make the Society the voice of many; not just a few.
- To become concerned about the crisis facing the medical profession.
- To make sure your Society makes the right decisions for you.
- To do the above by attending more Society meetings.

Involvement must be part of a total project effort, an ongoing activity at every stage of program planning and implementation.

CUT THIS OUT - AND KEEP IT. Don't lose it. Don't lend it, these tuits have been hard to come by, especially the round ones, but now by special arrangements, one is printed here. Now that each member has one tuit, we expect many changes. Many problems will be solved and membership involvement should at least double now that each member has a round tuit available to them.



For you see, so many have said, "I will get started just as soon as I can get around tuit." Others have said, "I know I should come to one of your special meetings, I just never seem to get around tuit." Also, "I know I should be more involved in the life of the Society, but I never seem to get around tuit." NOW . . . all that is past! Everyone has his own round tuit, and we know great things are in store!

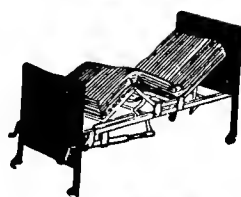
In conclusion, may I add that it is my privilege to greet you and wish you a very successful year.

—Earnest Perry, M.D.
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the defensive. This is not only true of our society but of greater medical organizations throughout the country.

Positive progress can be initiated but it requires greater involvement by the membership. The recently organized peer review committee is an example of positive action. Other positive steps can be in the form of vigorous public relations, medical-judiciary committee to review all malpractice litigations before they go to court, area-wide education, more involvement in community projects and many others, but all this requires time and/or money by *all* the members—which would you like to give? If you believe the 5% + 1 of the membership can do all that, then you endorse the status quo.

This is your professional society. Come out and express your views and do your share. I promise you the opportunity to be heard but the wishes of the majority shall prevail in spite of me and thee. Again, remember: the minority will rule in the absence of the majority.

—R. A. Abdu, M.D.
President

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THANKS FROM THE WOMAN'S AUXILIARY

The Woman's Auxiliary to the Mahoning County Medical Society wishes to express its appreciation to the doctors who supported the AMA-ERF Greeting Card Program this holiday season. A grand total of \$2200 has been contributed since October 1974. Your contributions have greatly helped to make our fund raising effort a success in helping students toward a better medical education. Also, our special thanks to your wives, who supported the recent style show which netted \$1,168.93. This amount is designated to the new "North East Ohio Medical School." It is our aim of the AMA-ERF committee to continue raising money for this worthwhile cause, so if other doctors wish to contribute during 1975, we will be happy to accept your donation. On behalf of our president Mrs. Robert Gilliland and myself Mrs. Arthur Whittaker, may we express our sincere gratitude for your most generous support to the AMERICAN MEDICAL ASSOCIATION EDUCATION AND RESEARCH FOUNDATION.

TWO BIG EVENTS IN JANUARY

Be sure that you have made your reservations for the two Medical Society functions in January—the Dinner Dance on Saturday, Jan. 18, and the Installation Banquet on Tuesday, Jan. 21. The dance is at the Youngstown Country Club. The Banquet is at the Youngstown Club.

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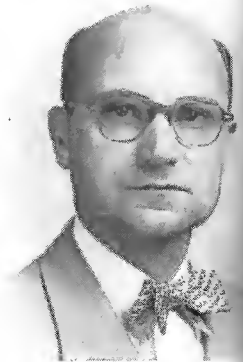
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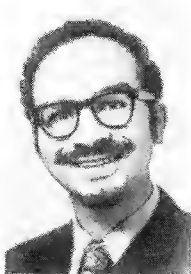
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PROCEEDINGS OF COUNCIL

Dec. 12, 1974

The regular meeting of the council of the Mahoning County Medical Society was held on Thursday, Dec. 12, 1974, at the Youngstown Club.

The following applications were presented by the censors:

ACTIVE: Herbert L. Queen, M.D. Hira L. Khanna, M.D.
ASSOCIATE: Pak Chun Chan, M.D. John R. LaManna, Jr., M.D.
 Musli Karmindro, M.D. Warner Floyd Stanford, D.O.

All applications were approved. The Applicants will become members of the Mahoning County Medical Society 15 days after publication in the *Bulletin*, unless objection is filed in writing with the secretary before that time.

The motion was made by Dr. Brucoli, and properly seconded, that membership in the Ohio State Medical Association be on a voluntary basis, and if the council of the OSMA does not accept the change in our constitution, we pursue every feasible and legitimate avenue to have them conform to our desires. Motion was passed unanimously. Motion was referred to the Constitution Committee.

The motion was made by Dr. Anderson, and properly seconded, that our delegation to the OSMA House of Delegates be instructed to compose a resolution for the 1975 meeting to the effect that membership in the Ohio State Medical Association be voluntary. Motion was passed unanimously.

Dr. Pichette, Sixth District Councilor, reported on the activities of the Ohio State Medical Association.

The proposal from the Allen Photographic Corporation was removed from the table. The Executive Secretary was asked to bring to the next meeting of council complete information as to exact costs and obligations to the Medical Society and exactly what the photo company would provide to both the members and to the Society. Council expressed no interest in a printed book, but some interest in a composite photo of all members.

A proposal was read from Burroughs Wellcome Co. asking the Medical Society to permit them to state that their MEDIX television series is being brought to the public by them in "cooperation with the physicians of your local county medical society." Council examined the program resume and the commendation of the producer, the Los Angeles Medical Society, and agreed that the series is worthy. It was noted that if the program came out of a Cleveland TV station as planned, our permission would be irrelevant. The motion was made by Dr. Mahar, and properly seconded, that we go along with their request, and also to asked them to get the program on a Youngstown TV station. Motion was passed.

Dr. Melnick discussed a newspaper article which quoted Ezell Armour, Mahoning Welfare Director, as saying he was having a difficult time getting a doctor for the county nursing home, "apparently because the statutory pay of \$15 an hour is not enough." He wrote to Mr. Armour and had a phone call from Mr. Armour as a result. He believes that he made it clear that the statement as printed in the paper was not correct. Since the situation became very complex, council decided no further action was necessary, and commended Dr. Melnick on his prompt action.

A letter was read from Nancy Childress of the Quota Club asking for approval for an awareness campaign on the need for immunization against rubella. The motion was made by Dr. Anderson, and properly seconded, that we approve their campaign, commend them for undertaking it and offer them help if they need it. Motion was passed.

A letter was read from Dr. Virginia A. Fulcomer, Director of the Child and Adult Mental Health Center asking about the peer review system for this area. It was noted that the letter had already been answered, giving her the status of Dr. Anderson's peer review committee. Council asked that a letter be sent to Dr. Gelbman, chairman of our Mental Health Committee, asking that his committee look into the proper relationship between psychiatrists and psychologists, and come up with a recommendation as to the proper place of the psychologist in the care of the patient.

A letter from the Youngstown Board of Health was read asking the Medical Society to review a health examination form and give them help in revising it. The form was referred to the Government Medical Care Committee, Dr. Tandatnick, chairman.

Dr. Anderson reported that work on the Peer Review Committee is progressing and that two sub-committees have met, with a third scheduled for next week, and that a report will be made to the full committee soon. He reported no further action on the District level.

Dr. Melnick reported the results to date of the vote concerning Region Six Peer Review Corporation being the PSRO for this area. 148 members returned the vote saying "no." One member voted "yes", and one member wanted more information. Council members agreed to make personal phone calls to those members who have not returned their vote.

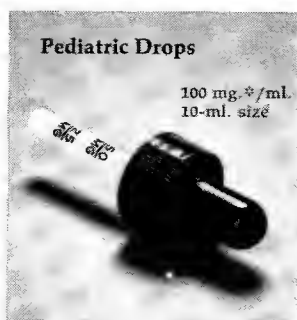
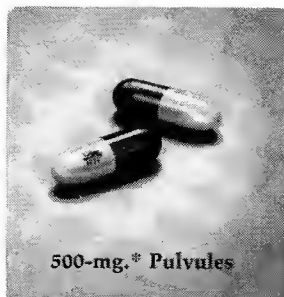
Dr. Anderson called attention to an article in the American Medical News, Dec. 9, entitled "HEW Sets Up Medicaid Review Plan." This precipitated a two-hour discussion. Basically the article reported on regulations published in the Federal Register, Nov. 29th, which would put PSRO into effect on Feb. 1, 1975. Council discussed the role of the hospitals in this matter, and also the best manner in getting the information to our members.

Meeting was adjourned.

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FORTY YEARS AGO — JANUARY 1935

The speaker at the banquet was announced in the *Bulletin* to be an outstanding humorist but he spoke on "The Continuous Intravenous In The Treatment Of Peptic Ulcer" which wasn't very funny.

This writer was President that year. L. G. Coe was President-Elect. P. J. Fuzy was Vice-President and Wm. Skipp was Secretary. Earl Brant headed the Program Committee. H. E. Hathhorn had charge of Public Health, and R. B. Poling had Public Relations.

Youngstown Hospital Staff held a roaring party at Renners Brewery in the Club Room and raised \$400.00 for the library. The old place is gone now but some of the remains can be seen if you go down Pike Street.

THIRTY YEARS AGO — JANUARY 1945

There were 234 active members of whom 68 were still in military service. W. H. Bunn was President, E. J. Reilly was President-Elect, George McKelvey was Secretary and Vern Goodwin, Treasurer. Edgar Baker was Editor of the *Bulletin*.

It was a hard winter. There was no banquet. There was much sickness and the work load was terrific.

From the President's Page: "Downright fatigue makes it impossible to read at night. Post-Graduate courses are not available. We must therefore try to bring the best speakers in the country for our monthly meetings."

Major Herman Ipp was heard from, address not stated. Capt. M. M. Kendall was in England for his second Christmas. Apprentice Seaman James Smeltzer and Paul Fuzy, Jr. (medical student) were home for the holidays. Lt. James Miller was home for the first glimpse of his new son.

TWENTY YEARS AGO — JANUARY 1955

Ivan Smith was President. G. E. DeCicco was President-Elect. Andy Detesco, Secretary and A. K. Phillips, Treasurer. Robert Tornello was Editor of the *Bulletin*. There was a new addition, in Executive Secretary, Mary Herald.

The Society voted the following schedule of fees: Office calls \$4.00. House calls up to 5:00 p.m. \$5.00, after 5:00 p.m. until 10:00 p.m. \$6.00, after 10:00 p.m. \$7.00.

New members that month were M. C. Hanysh and Frank Inui.

Herman Ipp was President of the Academy of General Practice, Asher Randall was President-Elect and Fred Resch the Secretary-Treasurer.

TEN YEARS AGO — JANUARY 1965

John McDonough was President. Fred Resch was President-Elect, R. J. Scheetz the Secretary, J. H. Reese, Treasurer. Kurt Wegner edited the *Bulletin*. Howard Rempes was Executive Secretary.

Leonard Green became a new active member.

The Society lost two valued members, Richard V. Clifford and Robert Poling. They have been sadly missed.

The Society raised \$1153.00 for the Alias Santa Claus Fund, the annual Christmas Show run by Esther Hamilton.

Richard Roland was elected President of the Academy of General Practice.

There were 301 active members, 16 Associate, 14 Non-Resident and 15 Honorary, a total of 346.

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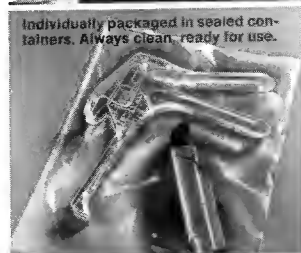
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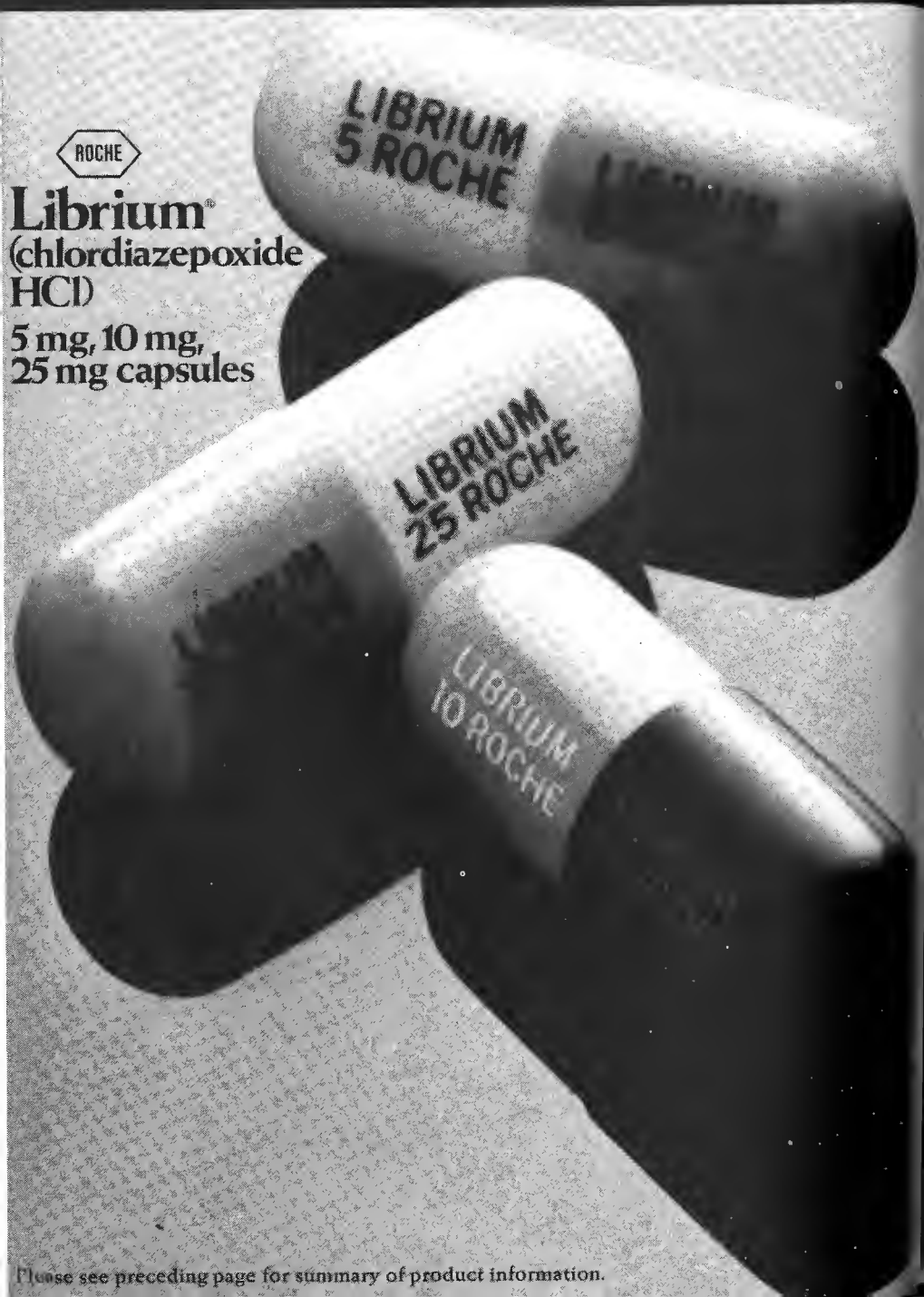
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